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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Ass't. Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the initial Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On Page 1, above line 1, please insert the following paragraphs:

## --CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicant claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German Application No. 198 48 503.4 filed October 21, 1998. Applicant also claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 of PCT/EP99/07919 filed October 19, 1999. The international application under PCT article 21(2) was not published in English.--